



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

## TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

DOCKET NO. 10191/3521	APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 10/781,578	EXAMINER Jermaine L. Jenkins	ART UNIT 2855
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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. 10/781,578 filed on February 17, 2004, entitled METHOD AND DEVICE FOR OPERATING AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE.

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ Amendment after Final mailed April 12, 2006.
- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Drawing Changes
- ☐ Other Submission: \_\_\_\_\_

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached Amendment/submission.

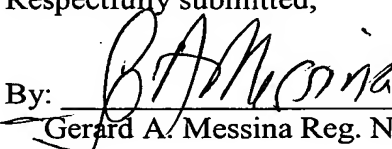
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						790.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	19		19	0	50.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8		8	0	200.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					360.00	
06/15/2006 MAHMED1 00000091 110600 10781578 01 FC:1401 790.00 DA				Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	790.00
	If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.					SMALL ENTITY TOTAL 00

2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$790.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time for responding to the Final Office Action of January 12, 2006, resetting the response date to June 12, 2006. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the **\$450.00** two-month extension of time fee and is also authorized to charge any other fees, as appropriate or necessary, to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account No. **11-0600**.
4. A duplicate of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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